



# SC Annual School Report Card Summary

**Honea Path Elementary  
Anderson 2**  
**Grades: PK-4** Enrollment: 582  
**Principal: Mark Robertson**  
**Superintendent: Mr. Thomas T. Chapman**  
**Board Chair: Mrs. Brenda Cooley**

## PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD/SILVER AWARD	AYP STATUS	NCLB IMPROVEMENT STATUS
2008	Average	At-Risk	TBD	Not Met	N/A
2007	Good	At-Risk	N/A	Met	N/A
2006	Good	Below Average	N/A	Met	N/A

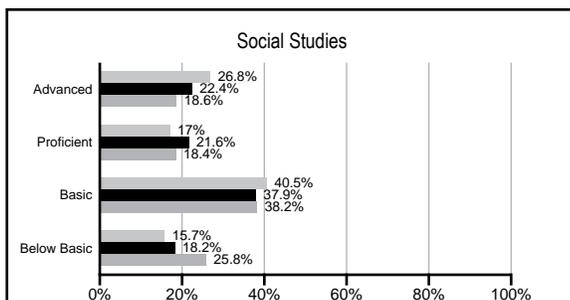
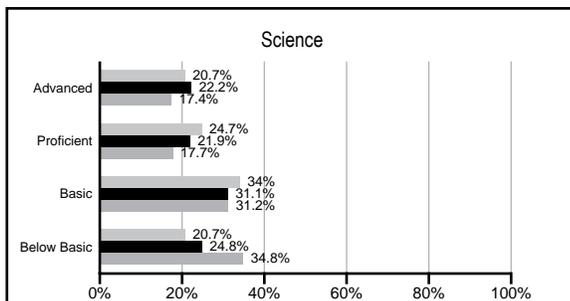
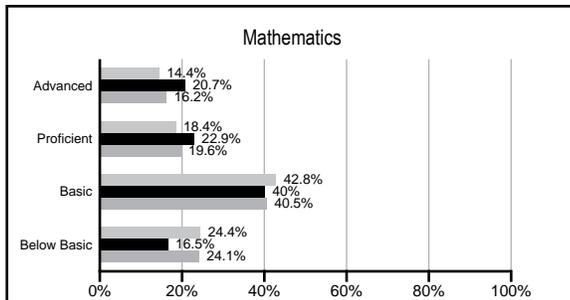
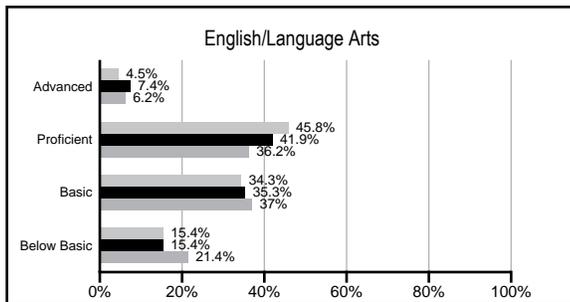
## ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS\*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
1	29	58	4	0

\* Ratings are calculated with data available by 02/17/2009. Schools with Students like Ours are Elementary Schools with poverty indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

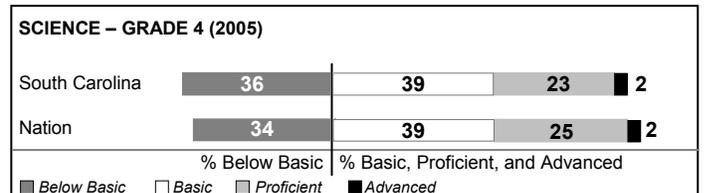
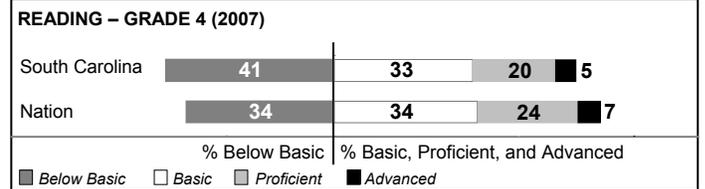
## PACT PERFORMANCE

Our School
  Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours
  Elementary schools statewide



## NAEP PERFORMANCE\*

\* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



## SC PERFORMANCE GOAL

2010 Goal:  
*By 2010, SC's student achievement will be ranked in the top half of the states nationally. To achieve this goal, we must become one of the fastest improving systems in the country.*

2020 Goal: TBD

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## SCHOOL PROFILE

	Our School	Change from Last Year	Elementary Schools with Students Like Ours	Median Elementary School
<b>Students (n=582)</b>				
Retention rate	4.4%	Up from 3.6%	2.1%	2.3%
Attendance rate	96.1%	No Change	96.4%	96.3%
Eligible for gifted and talented	10.4%	Up from 10.2%	14.1%	10.4%
With disabilities other than speech	8.8%	Up from 6.9%	7.0%	7.5%
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent &/or criminal offenses	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
<b>Teachers (n=35)</b>				
Teachers with advanced degrees	45.7%	Down from 47.1%	56.1%	56.7%
Continuing contract teachers	85.7%	Down from 91.2%	78.9%	77.3%
Teachers with emergency or provisional certificates	0.0%	No Change	0.0%	0.0%
Teachers returning from previous year	92.3%	No Change	88.8%	86.4%
Teacher attendance rate	93.4%	Down from 99.5%	94.9%	94.9%
Average teacher salary	\$45,264	Up 5.6%	\$45,891	\$45,345
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.0%	Down from 2.4%	0.0%	0.0%
<b>School</b>				
Principal's years at school	3.0	Up from 2.0	5.0	4.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	22.9 to 1	Up from 22.2 to 1	19.3 to 1	18.5 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.1%	Down from 95.3%	90.2%	89.8%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	No Change	Good	Good
SACS accreditation	Yes	No Change	Yes	Yes
Character development program	Excellent	No Change	Excellent	Excellent
Dollars spent per pupil*	\$5,782	Down 9.8%	\$6,387	\$7,052
Percent of expenditures for instruction*	74.8%	Up from 69.6%	69.8%	69.1%
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries*	63.1%	Up from 61.4%	65.5%	64.2%
% of AYP objectives met	92.3%		92.3%	85.7%

\* Prior year audited financial data available.

## REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

HPE had a wonderful 2007-2008 school year! We have the best teachers and students, have great test scores, and we take great pride in being a community of learners. Students continue to come first at HPE!

We had a number of significant achievements at HPE this year. They are as follows: became an Exemplary Writing School 2006-2009; recognized by the State Department of Education for the sixth year in a row for Closing the Achievement Gap; had a 4th grade Chorus; continued to have Business Partners for each homeroom; had a highly successful Career Day; celebrated 3rd Annual Author's Tea; earned 40,000+ Accelerated Reader Points (a new school record); Quarterly Awards Day to recognize student achievement (Gr. 1-4); monthly Birthday Breakfast Celebrations; school received a 28 Mobile Laptop Station through a grant and district financing; 17 promethean and visual presenters are in the classrooms; Grits for Grandparents, Moms, and Dads Day were huge successes; Mrs. Karin Kelly was our 2007-2008 Teacher of the Year; Merit Academy/Afterschool Program; School-Wide Responsibility Program established; and Mentors for students.

It has been a year of accomplishment at HPE! Our school community is committed to providing an educational environment for our students that is exciting, standards-based, innovative, safe, and nurturing. We are proud to be a community of learners, and we provide an education that is second to none.

Mark Robertson, Principal  
Kathy Graham, SIC Chairman

## EVALUATION RESULTS

	Teachers	Students*	Parents*
Number of surveys returned	32	98	86
Percent satisfied with learning environment	90.6%	88.8%	87.1%
Percent satisfied with social and physical environment	84.4%	77.3%	80.2%
Percent satisfied with school-home relations	87.5%	80.6%	73.3%

\*Only students at the highest elementary school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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